

H. Res. 911

In the House of Representatives, U.S.,

July 19, 2006.

Whereas on July 11, 2006, during evening rush hour, seven major explosions occurred on busy urban commuter trains in the Indian financial capital of Mumbai, killing as many as 200 and wounding more than 700 innocent civilians;

Whereas the Mumbai attacks occurred shortly after a series of grenade attacks took the lives of at least eight people and injured approximately 40 others in tourist areas of Srinagar, Kashmir;

Whereas India has been a strong partner of the United States in the Global War on Terror and offered immediate assistance to the United States after the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001;

Whereas the United States and India are both multicultural, multireligious democracies that oppose terrorism in all its forms and will continue to work steadfastly to overcome terrorist ideology and establish international peace and security;

Whereas the bombings have been condemned by leaders from around the world, including from those attending the Group of Eight (G-8) meeting in Saint Petersburg, Russia; and

Whereas the United States stands with the people and the Government of India and condemns in the strongest terms these atrocities, which were committed against innocent people as they went about their daily lives: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2 (1) condemns in the strongest possible terms
3 the July 11, 2006, terrorist attacks in Mumbai and
4 Srinagar;

5 (2) expresses its deepest condolences to the
6 families and friends of those individuals killed in the
7 attacks and expresses its sympathies to those indi-
8 viduals who have been injured;

9 (3) expresses its solidarity with the Government
10 and people of India in fighting and defeating ter-
11 rorism in all its forms; and

12 (4) expresses its support for the enhancement
13 of relations between the United States and India,
14 with the goal of combating terrorism and advancing
15 international peace and security.

Attest:

Clerk.